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Applicant(s): Richard L. SPAGNA et al.

Serial No.: 09/711,747

For: *UPDATING USAGE CONDITIONS IN LIEU OF DOWNLOAD DIGITAL RIGHTS
MANAGEMENT PROTECTED CONTENT*

Enclosed are the following:

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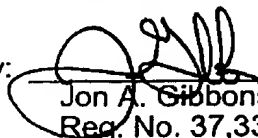
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Total Claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	18	-	20	0	50.00 (25.00)	0
Independent claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	5	-	5	0	200.00 (100.00)	0
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Sir:

The following amendment is being submitted in response to the final Office Action dated March 11, 2005, the two-month response date which is May 11, 2005. Please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks as follows:

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